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Application 09/993,443

ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was received at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences (BPAI) on June 22, 2005. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the examiner. The matters requiring attention prior to docketing are identified below.

The examiner cited Japanese Patent (JP 01267002A) in the Examiner's Answer dated November 3, 2004. The electronic application file does not contain an English translation of the entire foreign patent.

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Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application is returned to the examiner to provide an English translation of the entire JP 01267002A reference, and for such further action as may be appropriate.

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